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Subject: Community Support Services - Disabled Territorians

From:Ms Jodeen Terese CARNEY to Honourable Marion SCRYMGOUR Department of Health and Community Services

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Question: Government promised as a 2001 election commitment to develop a three

year strategic plan to meet the needs of disabled Territorians, their families

and their carers. Can you tell me what has happened with that?

Answer:

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Answer: A draft aged and disability services framework has been developed by the

department and is in the process of further development with the Disability Advisory Council which requested and has had significant input to this further development. The draft framework has been resubmitted to the department for revision and is now with the council for final consideration – and hopefully once the council has considered it we can release that

framework, once it has gone to the Disability Advisory Council.